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In re Application of
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TITLE: FLEXIBLE FULL FACE MASK FOR CPAP TREATMENT

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Dear Sir:

A Formalities Letter was received on September 14, 2004 regarding the above referenced application and is enclosed herein. Applicant believes the notice to file corrected application papers is in error. A conversation with the office of initial preliminary examination on September 20, 2004 confirmed that the formalities letter was withdrawn and the application was dispatched from the office of initial preliminary examination (OIPE) having been determined to be complete on September 13, 2004.

The formalities letter refers to figures 6-18 as not complying with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121. However figures 6-18 are no longer a part of the above referenced application having been replaced by substitute drawings 1-5. A substitute specification with substitute drawings 1-5 was submitted on August 12, 2004. The substitute specification was entered into the record on August 12, 2004. Drawings 1-5 are in compliance with 37 CFR 1.84 and 37 CFR 1.121 and no new drawings are required.

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